GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Registration and Stamps Department – Allegation of Corruption against Sri P.Ramamurthy, Sub Registrar, Alur (M), Kurnool District (Now Retd.) – Trapped on 08.02.2013 – Charge sheet filed in the court of Spl. Judge for Trial of SPE & ACB cases, Kurnool – Convicted in Trial court –Imposing a penalty of withholding of pension and gratuity in full permanently under A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980- Orders – Issued.

REVENUE (VIGILANCE-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.239 **Dated: 07-06-2016**
Read the following:

1. From the DG, ACB, AP, Hyderabad, Rc.No.24/RCT-KUR/2013,dt.27.8.2013.
2. Govt. Memo No.5391/Vig.VI(1)/2013-1, dt.12.5.2014.
3. Orders of Spl. Judge for Trial of SPE & ACB cases, Kurnool in C.C.No.26/2014, dt.12.5.2016.
4. From the DG, ACB, AP, Hyderabad, Rc.No.24/RCT-KUR/2013,dt.23.5.2016.

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ORDER:

Whereas, in the reference 1st read above, it was brought to the notice of the Government that Sri P.Ramamurthy, Sub Registrar Alur Mandal, Kurnool District was trapped by the Anti Corruption Bureau officials on 08.02.2013, when he demanded and accepted the bribe of Rs.90,000/- from the complainant to do official favour. The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, AP, Hyderabad has recommended for sanction of prosecution and initiate Departmental action for major penalty for violation of A.P. Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

2. Whereas in pursuance of the orders of Government in the reference 2nd read above, the Direction General, Anti Corruption Bureau, AP, Hyderabad filed charge sheet before the court of the Spl. Judge for Trial of SPE & ACB cases, Kurnool.

3. Whereas in the reference 3rd read above, the Court of the Spl. Judge for Trial of SPE & ACB cases delivered its judgment stating that the prosecution proved its case beyond reasonable doubt against the accused officer for the offences punishable u/s 7,13(2) r/w 13(1)(d) of Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988. The Accused Officer is found guilty for the offences and is convicted u/s 248 (2) of Criminal Procedure Code. Therefore, the Accused Officer is sentenced to undergo rigorous imprisonment for one year and to pay a fine of Rs.1,000/- in default to undergo simple imprisonment for one month for the offence punishable u/s 7 of Prevention of Corruption Act. The Accused Officer is also sentenced to undergo rigorous imprisonment for two years and to pay a fine of Rs.1,000/- in default to undergo simple imprisonment for one month for the offence punishable u/s 13(2) r/w 13(1)(d) of Prevention of Corruption Act. Both the sentences imposed against the Accused Officer shall run concurrently.

4. And whereas, after careful consideration of the facts and circumstances of the case with reference to orders issued in G.O.Ms.No.2, General Administration (Ser.C) Department, dt.4.1.1999 read with instructions issued in Memo No.178/Spl.C/2003-1, General Administration (Spl.C) Department, dt.7.5.2003, Government have decided to impose a major penalty of withholding of entire pension and gratuity in full permanently against Sri P.Ramamurthy, former Sub Registrar (Retd.), Alur (M), Kurnool District, as he was convicted in the C.C.No.26/2014 by the court of the Spl. Judge for Trial of SPE & ACB cases, Kurnool.

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5. Now, therefore in exercise of the powers conferred under Sub-Rule (2) of Rule 8 and Sub-Rule (1) of Rule 9 of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980, read with instructions issued in G.O.Ms.No.2, General Administration (Ser.C) Department, dt.4.1.1999 and Memo No.178/Spl.C/2003-1, General Administration (Spl.C) Department, dt.7.5.2003, Government hereby order to impose a major penalty of withholding of entire pension and gratuity in full permanently against Sri P.Ramamurthy, former Sub Registrar (Now Retd.), Alur (M), Kurnool District for his conviction.

6. The Director & Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, AP, Hyderabad and the Deputy Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Kurnool shall take immediate necessary action accordingly.

7. The following notification shall be published in the extraordinary issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette dated: 09-06-2016.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred under Sub-Rule (2) of Rule 8 and Sub-Rule (1) of Rule 9 of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980, read with instructions issued in G.O.Ms.No.2, General Administration (Ser.C) Department, dt.4.1.1999 and Memo No.178/Spl.C/2003-1, General Administration (Spl.C) Department, dt.7.5.2003, Government hereby order to impose a major penalty of withholding of entire pension and gratuity in full permanently against Sri P.Ramamurthy, former Sub Registrar (Now Retd.), Alur (M), Kurnool District with immediate effect.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

AJEYA KALLAM
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To,
Sri P.Ramamurthy, former Sub Registrar (Now Retd.), Alur (M), Kurnool District.
(Through: the Deputy Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Kurnool)
The Director & Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, AP, Hyderabad
The Deputy Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Kurnool,
(with a request to serve the GO on the individual and send served copy with dated signature to Government for record)
The Commissioner of Printing, Stationary & Stores Purchase,
A.P, Hyderabad. *(with a request to publish the G.O in the extraordinary Gazettee and furnish 10 copies to Government)*
Copy to:
The Secretary to VC, A.P. Vigilance Commission, AP, Hyderabad.
The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, AP, Hyderabad.
The Pay and Accounts Officer, AP, Hyderabad.
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
Sf/Sc.

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